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Hongkong, July 1, 1885. 1105

To-day's Advertisements.
GRAND ILLUMINATED FETE
IN THE
BOTANICAL GARDENS,
TUESDAY,
the 14th July, 1885.

In Aid of the Sufferers through the recent
INUNDATIONS AT CANTON.

The following ENTERTAINMENT will
take place as above.

MR. PEMBERTON WILLARD
has kindly placed his Services at the dis-
posal of the COMMITTEE of the KWANG-
TUNG INUNDATION FUND.

**THE GARDENS BRILLIANTLY
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THE ARABIAN NIGHTS REVIVÉE.

THE BAND OF THE 'BUFFS'
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J. H. STEWART-LOCKART,
Hon. Secretary.
Hongkong, July 8, 1885. 1158

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Hongkong, July 8, 1885. 1155

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**THE UNDERSIGNED, AGENTS for the above
Company, are prepared to GRANT
POLICIES against FIRE on usual terms
at Current Rates.**

The Regulations of the Company provide
that, after Payment of Working Expenses
and Claims, the Profits of the Company
shall be annually apportioned and divided
as follows:—

(1stly).—In making Payments, as Inter-
est, to Shareholders, equal to 10 per
cent., on the amount of Capital paid-
up, so long as the Reserve Fund is
under \$200,000, and when over that
amount, equal to 12 per cent.

(2ndly).—In applying such proportion of
the Profits, as shall remain after the
payment of the said Interest, as
Shareholders, in General Meeting
shall sanction (but not being more
than 50 per cent. of the Profits
accruing before the payment of the
said Interest) to the formation of a
Reserve Fund.

(3rdly).—In Payment to Shareholders or
others, who shall either directly, or
through their Agency or intervention,
have contributed business to the
Company, of Bonus amounting to
no more than 10 per cent. of the
Profits received, during the
year, in respect of such business, as
the Company in General Meeting
shall sanction.

(4thly).—In Payment of the Remainder
of the Profits of the Company as
Dividend to Shareholders, after and
subject to the Reserve Fund shall
amount to, and be maintained at
\$600,000.

And that Losses shall in the first instance
be paid out of the Premium received, and
out of the Interest accrued on the Reserve
Fund and Capital, and should those
sources prove insufficient, then out of
the Reserve Fund, and should that prove
insufficient, then out of the Original Capital,
subject to the proviso—that, although
there may be Premium and other Monies
available for the purpose, any Losses
sustained by the Company, shall, together
with the available called up Capital of
\$600,000, be paid wholly or partly, in
such proportion as the Company in General
Meeting may sanction, out of such excess
of the Reserve Fund.

ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,
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**GERMAN GOVERNESS, speaking
FRENCH and ENGLISH, wishes an
ENGAGEMENT. Good References.**

M. G.,
Address
c/o OFFICE OF THIS PAPER.
Hongkong, July 8, 1885. 1157

**DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY,
LIMITED.**

FOR AMOY AND TAIWANFOO.
The Co.'s Chartered
Steamship
Benledi,
Capt. FARGUHAN, will
be despatched for the above Ports on
SATURDAY, the 11th Instant, at Noon.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
DOUGLAS LARRAIK & Co.,
General Managers.
Hongkong, July 8, 1885. 1153

**DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY,
LIMITED.**

**FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOSHOW
(SHARP PEAK).**
The Co.'s Steamship
Nemou,
Capt. PRYNN, will be
despatched for the above
Ports on SUNDAY, the 12th Instant, at
9 a.m.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
DOUGLAS LARRAIK & Co.,
General Managers.
Hongkong, July 8, 1885. 1154

FOR YOKOHAMA.
The Steamship
H. LONLEY, Comm'dr.,
will be despatched for the
above Port on TUESDAY, the 14th Inst.,
at Noon.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,
Agents.
Hongkong, July 8, 1885. 1156

Not Responsible for Debts.
Neither the Captain, the Agents, nor
Owners will be Responsible for
any Debt contracted by the Officers or
Crew of the following Vessels, during
their stay in Hongkong Harbour:—

ALICE ROBE, Hawaiian brig, Capt. G. B.
Edmund, —Moss Fock.
BELLE OF ORANGE, Amer. barque, Capt.
E. Matthews. —Messageries Maritimes.
G. D. BRYANT, American barque, Capt.
J. E. Coleman. —Edwards, Schellings & Co.
COLBERT, German ship, Capt. B. Sauer-
mich. —Barnes & Co., limited.
DAKUBE, British steamer, Captain J.
Newton. —Yuen Fat Hong.
FRANK PENDERGAST, American ship, Capt.
E. P. Nichols. —Order.
PROSPECTOR, American 4-masted schooner,
Captain Tibbitts. —Order.
HIGHLAND LIGHT, American ship, Capt.
J. W. Norcross. —Order.
KHOBABAN, German barque, Capt. T. A.
Vissel. —Order.
PROSPECTOR, American barque, Capt. P. L.
Chapman. —Arnold, Karberg & Co.
RUPH M. HAYWARD, Amer. barquentine,
Capt. J. Baxter. —Arnold, Karberg & Co.
SIMPSONWOOD, British barque, Captain
John H. rno. —Gillman & Co.
WISKA, American ship, Captain S. Sim-
mons. —Order.

SHIPPING.
ARRIVALS.
July 7, 1885:—
Hongkong, British steamer, 1,464,
Waltham, Waltham July 3, Rice. —SEARSEN &
Giles, German steamer, 340, C. Eichen-
stein, San Francisco, via Yokohama, 30, Rice. —EDWARD SCHUL-
TEISS & Co.

Vessels Advertised as Loading.

Destination. **Vessel.** **Captain.** **Agents.** **Date of Leaving.**

Amoy and Taiwanfo. Benledi (s) Farquhar Douglas Larraik & Co. July 11, at noon.

London, via Suez Canal. Ajax (s) J. R. Howell. Butterfield & Swire. July 9.

London, via Suez Canal. Rivena (s) E. Stewart. Adamson, Bell & Co. About July 14.

London, via Suez Canal. Glencoe (s) J. R. Howell. P. O. S. N. Co. July 16, at 4 p.m.

Marseilles, via Saigon. Saghalien (s) J. R. Howell. Jardine, Matheson & Co. About July 20.

Marseilles, via Saigon. Saghalien (s) J. R. Howell. Messageries Maritimes. July 9, at noon.

Manila, via Suez Canal. Mount Lebanon (s) J. R. Howell. Wing Woo & Co. July 12, at p.m.

New York, via Suez Canal. Mosser (s) J. R. Howell. Russell & Co. July 12, at 3 p.m.

New Zealand Ports, via Peking. Whangpoo (s) J. R. Howell. Butterfield & Swire. July 24, at 4 p.m.

San Francisco, via Yokohama. City of Rio de Janeiro (s) J. R. Howell. Pacific Mail S. S. Co. July 11, at 3 p.m.

San Francisco, via Yokohama. Highland Light (s) J. R. Howell. Russell & Co. Quick despatch.

Shanghai, via Amoy. Titan (s) J. R. Howell. Butterfield & Swire. July 9, at daylight.

Shanghai, via Amoy. Diomed (s) J. R. Howell. Butterfield & Swire. July 16.

Singapore, Penang and Calcutta. Arramtoo (s) J. R. Howell. Jardine, Matheson & Co. July 18, at 3 p.m.

Singapore, Penang and Calcutta. Arramtoo (s) J. R. Howell. Russell & Co. July 18, at 3 p.m.

Swatow and Bangkok. Kong Beng (s) J. R. Howell. Yuen Fat Hong. July 10, at noon.

Swatow, Amoy and Fookchow. Namoa (s) J. R. Howell. Douglas Larraik & Co. July 12, at 9 a.m.

Sydney and Melbourne, via Hongkong. Tannadice (s) J. R. Howell. Russell & Co. Quick despatch.

Victoria (British Columbia). Naima (s) J. R. Howell. Russell & Co. July 14, at noon.

Yokohama. Essex (s) J. R. Howell. H. Longley. July 14, at noon.

SHARE LIST.—QUOTATIONS. **JULY 8, 1885.**

Stocks. **No. of Shares.** **Value.** **Paid up.** **Position per last Report.** **Last Dividend.** **Closing Quotations.**

BANKS.
Hongkong and Shanghai Bank Corp. 10,000 125 125 125 61.70 2 half year 115 30 Sept.

INSURANCES.
North-China Insurance Co., Ltd. 5,000 24 24 24 540.107 300 per share 115 30 Sept.

Yunglee Insurance Company, Ltd. 8,000 24 24 24 540.107 300 per share 115 30 Sept.

Union Insurance Society Co., Ltd. 2,000 125 125 125 430.329 300 per share 115 30 Sept.

China Traders' Insurance Co., Ltd. 24,000 83.33 83.33 83.33 167.381 300 per share 115 30 Sept.

Canton Insurance Office Co., Ltd. 10,000 100 100 100 100.000 300 per share 115 30 Sept.

Chinese Insurance Co., Limited. 1,500 100 100 100 28.711.50 300 per share 115 30 Sept.

Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Ltd. 8,000 25 25 25 207.608.07 300 per share 115 30 Sept.

China Fire Insurance Co., Ltd. 20,000 100 100 100 101.000.99 300 per share 115 30 Sept.

STEAM COMPANIES.
H.K. Co. and M. Steamship Co., Ltd. 8,000 100 100 100 4.503.986 300 per share 115 30 Sept.

Indo-China S. N. Company, Limited. 18,387.4 10 10 10 20 20 discount, buyers

60,000 shares issued. 31,212.4 10 10 10 20 20 discount

China and Manila S. S. Co., Ltd. 3,500 100 100 100 30 discount

MISCELLANEOUS.
H'kong & Whampoa Dock Co., Ltd. 10,000 125 125 125 6.683.968 300 per share 115 30 Sept.

H.K. and China Gas Co., Limited. 1,000 10 10 10 248.80 300 per share 115 30 Sept.

New Shares.
Hongkong Hotel Company, Ltd. 3,000 100 100 100 13.274.034 300 per share 115 30 Sept.

China Sugar Company, Limited. 9,000 100 100 100 13.274.034 300 per share 115 30 Sept.

Hongkong Ice Company, Limited. 1,250 100 100 100 235.35810 300 per share 115 30 Sept.

Hongkong Bakery Company, Ltd. 2,000 100 100 100 82.003 300 per share 115 30 Sept.

Lozon Sugar Company, Limited. 2,000 100 100 100 82.003 300 per share 115 30 Sept.

Perak Tin Mining & Smelting Co., Ltd. 2,500 100 100 100 82.003 300 per share 115 30 Sept.

Selangore Tin Mining Co. (S'hai). 2,500 100 100 100 82.003 300 per share 115 30 Sept.

H'kong Rope Manufacturing Co., Ltd. 3,000 100 100 100 82.003 300 per share 115 30 Sept.

**Benledi, British steamer, 1,000, R. Far-
quhar, Swatow July 6, General. —DOUGLAS
STEAMSHIP CO.**

July 8:—
Winnar, German steamer, 657, Gerni,
Shanghai July 3, Rice. —ONODA

Wild Swan, British mail-boat, 1,000,
John S. Hallifax, Singapore July 29

Doris, German steamer, 771, W. Zornahn,
Nanchang June 30, Bona. —WILKES &
Co.

Namoa, British steamer, 862, Geo. D.
Pittman, Fookchow July 3, Amoy 6, and
Swatow 7, General. —DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP
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DEPARTURES.
July 8:—
Peking for Whampoa.
Glencoe, for Saigon.
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Credit,	10
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India, Wiro,	30 days' sight, private
" Demand,	Gold Local 99½ fine
Shanghai, demand,	Sovereigns,

Temperatures.
(Taken at Messrs Falconer & Co.
Queen's Road.)
HONGKONG, July 8.

BAROMETR—	9 A.M.	...
Do.	1 P.M.	...
Do.	4 P.M.	...
Thermometer—	9 A.M.	...
Do.	1 P.M.	...
Do.	4 P.M.	...
Do.	(Wet bulb) 9 A.M.	...
Do.	1 P.M.	...
Do.	4 P.M.	...
Do.	Minimum	...
Do.	Maximum over night	...

Do. 4 P.
 THERMOMETER—9 A.
 Do. 1 P.
 Do. 4 P.
 Do. (Wet bulb)
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Hongkong, June 30, 1885. 1101

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NORTON & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, May 19, 1881. 932

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and CARGO, will leave this Port for the
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Cargo and Specie will be registered for
London as well as for Marseilles, and ac-
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principal places of Europe.

Shipping Orders will be granted until
Noon.

Cargo will be received on board until 4
p.m., Specie and Parcels until 3 p.m. on the
8th July, 1885. (Parcels are not to
be sent on board; they must be left at
the Agents' Office.)

Contents and value of Packages are re-
quired.

For further particulars, apply at the
Company's Office.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX,
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Hongkong, June 27, 1885. 1084

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COMPANY.THROUGH TO NEW YORK, VIA
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AT YOKOHAMA, AND SAN FRANCISCO.

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RIO DE JANEIRO will be despatched
for San Francisco, via Yokohama, with
the option of calling at Honolulu, on
SATURDAY, the 11th July, at 3 p.m.,
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connecting Steamers.

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have paid full fare, re-embarking at San
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within six months, will be allowed a discount
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be made from Return fare. Pre-Paid Return
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Packages will be received at the office until
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F. E. FOSTER,
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Hongkong, June 20, 1885. 1095

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A. MOLVER, Superintendent.

Hongkong, July 6, 1885. 1143

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